

415093 to 415101.

From Honduras. Seed collected November 1976 by P. A. Fryxell, Department of Soil and Crop Sciences, Texas A & M University, Agronomy Field Laboratory, College Station, Texas. Numbered April 24, 1977.

415093. *CAPSICUM* sp. Solanaceae.

A. Huampusirpe. Shrub to 2 m tall. Fruits pendent, bright yellow, ovate (slightly fluted), pungent. Cultivated.

415094. *CAPSICUM* sp.

B. Huampusirpe. Shrub to 1.5 m tall, naturalized around village, encouraged and harvested. Fruits erect, yellow, ripening red, about 2.5 cm long, narrowly pointed, pungent. Cultivated.

415095. *CITRULLUS LANATUS* (Thunb.) Matsum. & Nakai Cucurbitaceae.

Watermelon.

C. Barra Platano village, near mouth of Rio Platano. Small, spherical melon. Flesh yellow with insipid flavor. Prized by Mishito Indians. Fruit 20 to 25 cm in diameter. Flesh not sweet, although ripe, but refreshing. Cultivated.

415096. *GOSSYPIUM BARBADENSE* L. Malvaceae. Sea-island cotton.

2810. Huampusirpe. Herbaceous shrub to 3 m tall. flower yellow with red center. Red involucre nectaries. Eight seeds per lock, green fuzzy seed. Cultivated. Local name "algodon de rinon".

415097 and 415098. *GOSSYPIUM BARBADENSE* var. *BRAZILIENSE* F. M. Mauer

415097. 2809. Huampusirpe. Herbaceous shrub to 3 m tall, in bud, growing near houseyard. Kidney cotton, seeds connate with red involucre nectaries. Eight seeds per lock, fuzzy seeded. Cultivated. Seeds donated by owner.

415098. 2812. Baltituk. Several planted in houseyard 1.6 to 3.2 km upstream from village along Rio Platano. Large shrub or small tree, said to be only two years old. Kidney cotton. Flowers large, pale, whitish yellow, no petal spot. Red involucre nectaries. Ten seeds per lock, naked seeded. Cultivated.

415099. *HIBISCUS BIFURCATUS* Cav. Malvaceae. Forkleaf hibiscus.

2804. Near mouth of Rio Platano. Herbaceous shrub to 2 m tall in wet ground on edge of swamp. Wild.

415100. *HIBISCUS CANNABINUS* L.

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2811. Huampusirpe. Perennial, low spreading. Flowers deep red. Cultivated as ornamental. Cultivated.

415101. *HIBISCUS FURCELLATUS* Desr.

2806. Near mouth of Rio Platano. Herbaceous shrub to 2 m tall, growing in swamp. Flowers large, pink. Wild.

415102 to 415116.

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415102. *GOSSYPIUM BARBADENSE* L. Malvaceae.

Sea-island cotton.

2876. Private residence, 1 km from Camoapa. Shrub to 2 m tall. Flowers yellow, weak petal spot. Lint white, naked-seeded. Cultivated.